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Application No.: 09/047,676  
Applicants: Naohiro KAGEYAMA, Yasuhiko TAKEDA, Yoko SOGABE and Katsuyuki NANBA  
For: ELECTRONIC CAMERA WITH DYNAMIC OUTPUT CONTROL  
Confirmation No.: 3496  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the Office Action, dated October 3, 2003, be extended for three months to April 3, 2004.

A response to the Office Action, dated October 3, 2003, is filed concurrently herewith.

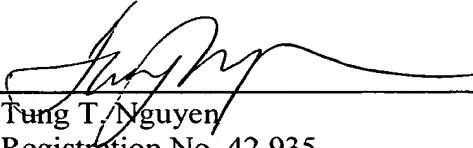
A Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization for the three month extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) is submitted herewith. In the event that the Response

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patent application to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260.

Respectfully submitted,

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